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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman, Foreign Language Committee  
FROM: Director of Central Intelligence

1. Thanks for your response to my request for concise information about what the committee is doing, how well it is doing, and how it might do better.
2. I recently asked the DDA, I believe it was, for a report on what provisions have been made to round up on a surge basis people with unusual foreign language qualifications if they should be needed. This question was raised by Senator Schmitt of the PFIAB in connection with the proposed CIA reserve. I would like to know what arrangements there are or should be on a community basis to keep track or maintain a roster of people anywhere in the country who have special language qualifications which might be required in an emergency or for other special purposes.
3. What kind of staff does the Foreign Language Committee have to get its work done?

  
William J. Casey

Attachment

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15 September 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Director  
FROM: Director of Central Intelligence  
SUBJECT: Language Capability

At a PFIAB meeting as soon as possible there should be a briefing on language training, language reserves and the whole question of language capability in CIA, in the Community, and in the nation, including the relationship of our language activity to that of NSA, State and the military, the interplay between them, etc. Senator Schmitt, a new member of the PFIAB, is keenly interested in this, particularly in the idea of creating a language reserve and PFIAB in general should know something about where we stand on language capability and the progress being made in improving it.

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